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LETTER from Boulogne, a Sea-Port in Picardy, says, the People hearing of the great Dearth of Corn, in some of the Northern Countries, and fearing they shall want it themselves, were so exasperated at two Merchants of that Town, who thinking they had enough

and to spare, put a certain Quantity on board two Vessels for Bourdeaux, that they rose and broke the Windows of their Houses, and had like to have proceeded further, had not a Company of Soldiers been sent, which oblig'd them to retire. Three of the Ringleaders were taken and committed to Prison, who will be severely punish'd. Nevertheless, tho' the Mob was suppress'd, yet they threaten'd what they would do, if any more Corn was carry'd out of the Province; insomuch that an English Vessel that carry'd them Sea-Coal, being under a Necessity of taking in a Supply of Corn, the Populace began to rise again, and threatened to use the Ship's Crew very ill if they went ashore: Which Incident oblig'd the Magistrates of the City, to double the necessary Precautions for the Preservation of the Publick Peace.

According to Letters from the Barbary-Shore, Endeavours are not wanting to raise the same Pannick there as at Boulogne; for they write from St. Croix, a Port in the Kingdom of Suz, That notwithstanding more Ships have arrived there this Year to lade Corn, than ever was known in any one Year before, and though they have Hopes that the next will be a very plentiful Harvest, yet they are alarm'd at the Appearance of Grasshoppers, which they don't remember to have seen in Barbary before; and certain *Santons*, a Sort of Men whom the credulous, superstitious Vulgar reverence as *Oracles*, have taken Occasion to prophesy, as if it was reveal'd to them from Heaven, that these Grasshoppers were the Fore-runners of a more dangerous Calamity which would certainly fall upon the Country, if they continu'd to furnish the Europeans with Corn: But the Merchants of St. Croix, having too much Avarice, and too little Superstition, to give Ear to any Prediction that tends to sink their Profit, continue to sell their Corn as usual, without any Scruple.

The Letters add, That they are afraid of fresh Troubles in Barbary, by Reason of the Competition for the Throne of Morocco; and that Muley Abdallah, who was dethron'd by the Blacks, has lately defeated their Army, near the City of Morocco, and put to Flight the rest of their Forces, which were retired to the Neighbourhood of Mequinez, where the new Emperor, Muley-Hamer-Ben-Lariba, is.

Amsterdam, May 17, N.S. The Foreign News-Writers, for want of being better informed of what lately passed here with Regard to Baron Theodore, have related that Transaction with so many false Circumstances, that it will be a Service to the Publick to inform them exactly of the Fact; which, in plain Terms, is as follows.

That Gentleman had been for some Time incog. in this Country, about important Affairs betwixt himself and the Corsicans. A Person of this City, who happen'd to be in his Service, betray'd him, in Concert with another, whom he had introduc'd to Theodore, on Pretence of desiring some Employment under him, but in the mean Time discover'd him to some of his old Creditors here, who caused him to be arrested. While he was in Confinement, other Persons thinking, 'tis like, to do a Service to the Republick of Genoa, left no Stone unturn'd to keep him in Custody; and they made advantageous Offers to Lord Theodore, only to protract the Time: But their Craft and Wiles being discover'd by others, who strove heartily to save him, a Method was found out to enable him to satisfy the Creditors of this Country; and as to the Debts that he was charged with by Foreigners, for which he was likewise arrested, the Affair was argued before the Magistrates, who in open Court declared the Arrest void and groundless; because the Debts were not duly proved; so that he was immediately set at Liberty, to the great Mortification of those who only aimed to keep him in Prison, to serve their particular Views. The

Baron was treated, not only while he was in Prison, but afterwards, with very great Distinction.

Yesterday arrived a Mail from France, with the Paris Letter, whose Author gives an Account, also from Amsterdam, that the Baron's Release was owing to the Recommendation of some Potentate not publicly known; and that he appeared in Court before the Echevins, with his Sword, Hat, Cane and Gloves, which was a Liberty never indulg'd to any Person before, in the like Circumstances; and that as he went out of the Court, he found a Coach ready at the Gate, which carry'd him off to a trusty Friend's House, where he soon after received Dispatches from Corsica, desiring him to return without Delay, because his Presence was wanted there. And the Letter adds, That he is to set out very soon, and to carry with him what will make him very welcome.

There are some Advices by the last Dutch Mail, That he went from Amsterdam to the Hague, and that he continues there as yet, but was preparing for his Return to Corsica.

King Stanislaus has made the Count de Bethune his Great Chamberlain, with a Salary of 6000 Livres and his Table.

M. de la Houffaye, Brother to the Comptroller General of the Finances, is dead at Paris, in the 77th Year of his Age.

The Marquis de Mirapax is nominated Ambassador of France to Vienna.

The Paris A-la-main mentions Advice from Poland, that the Tartars have defeated the Muscovites, who had lost above 50,000 Men, and all their Cannon and Baggage; but it requires Confirmation.

The Publick Entry of the Venetian Ambassador at Paris, is deferred till the 5th of next Month.

The Baron de Gueda, the Swedish Envoy, who has been there 26 Years, is set out with his Lady and Family to Stockholm, and 'tis said the Baron de Fleming, the Swedish Resident there, will be appointed the Minister in his room.

IRELAND.

Dublin, May 10. Yesterday a Proclamation was issued by the Lords Justices and Council of Ireland, for the Currency of the Copper Money, coin'd for the Service of this Kingdom, in his Majesty's Tower of London, which the several Collectors of this Kingdom are obliged to receive in discharge of what shall become due to his Majesty, provided, that no more be received in any one Payment made to them, than Twelve of these Half-pence, or Six-pence. And that if by those Payments, the said Collectors, or any of them, shall have a Redundancy of those Half-pence, that the said Collectors shall, and may pay to the respective Officers of his Majesty's Army in this Kingdom, or such other Person as shall tender an Exchequer Acquittance to the said Collectors, for Payment of his Majesty's said Army, any Sum of the said Half pence, not exceeding five Pounds in every hundred Pounds, and so in Proportion for a greater or lesser Sum: And the like Quantity to the Officers of his Majesty's Revenue who shall receive their Salaries, from the said respective Collectors.

And his Majesty has been also graciously pleas'd to direct, that the Cost of the said fifty Tun of Copper, and the Charges attending the coining, and the transmitting the said Half-pence and Farthings, when coined, into this Kingdom, should be paid by his Majesty's Vice-Treasurer, Receiver-General and Pay-Master of this Kingdom, or his Deputy for the Time being; and that whatever Profit shall arise from the Copper Coinage (after all necessary Expences about it defray'd) shall go into the publick Revenue at large of this Kingdom, to be employed as any Part of the publick Revenue unappropriated, is employ'd.

And Yesterday large Quantities of the said Half-pence were given out at the Treasury Office to those who applied for Change.

Saturday last three Persons were whipp'd thro' Swords, for endeavouring to oblige a Young Gentlewoman to marry a Man against her Inclination. They are to be whipp'd twice more thro' the said Town.

Last Sunday the Right Hon. the Lord Santry was marry'd at Finglasi to Miss Thornton, a Lady of fine Accomplishments.

The same Night four Fellows attempted to strip the Lead from off the Lord Mountjoy's House, but there being four Centries near the said House, who shot at them, they endeavour'd to make off, which three of them did, but the other was taken and sent to Newgate.

Parliament House, Dublin, May 4, 1737.

At a General Quarterly Meeting of the Incorporated Society in Dublin for promoting English Protestant Schools in Ireland.

Whereas the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor, Sheriffs, Commons, and Citizens of this City, did at their Quarterly Assembly the 22d of April, unanimously agree to give to the incorporated Society 50 l. per Annum for the Uses of his Majesty's Royal Charter for erecting English Protestant Schools in this Kingdom.

Ordered, That the Thanks of this Society be given to the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor, Sheriffs, Commons, and Citizens of this City, for their generous Benefaction; and as a further Testimony of the Society's Regard for the same,

Resolved, That a Charter School be erected in some fit Place in the County of Dublin, near this City, where the Children of poor Natives will be instructed in the Protestant Religion, cloathed, dieted, lodg'd, and employ'd in Husbandry and in the Linen Manufacture, when Land convenient shall be obtain'd for that Purpose.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Marseilles, May 15. N.S. The Warren Galley, John Huddy, is on her Departure for Venice.

Hamburgh, May 21. N.S. The Sterling, Richard Lockwood, is ready to sail for Alicant.

HOME PORTS.

Deal, May 16. Wind N. Came down and is failed, with the Ships mentioned in my last, the Lisbon Galley, Blackaby, for Lisbon; the Success, White, for Dublin; the Three Brothers, Yeames, for Cadiz. Arrived the Augustus Caesar, Hampton; the Switzer, Bogie, from Leghorn; the Ferneley, Duchet; the Martha and Sarah, Wilkie, from Lisbon; the Charming Sally, Townshend; the Peggy, Powell, from Oporto; the Patuxen, Crane, from Virginia; and the Sarah, Reed, from Maryland.

Arrived in Virginia the Hafwell, Booth, and the Whitaker, Whiting.

LONDON.

It having been represented to his Majesty, That the Life of Beaupre Bell, of Beaupre Hall, Esq; near Wisbeech, in the County of Norfolk, has been threatened, and the Servant of the said Mr. Bell was shot at between Wisbeech and Elm on the 28th of April last, about 11 o'Clock at Night, and the Person who fired, declared, that he took the said Servant for Mr. Bell, and that since then the House of the said Mr. Bell has been several Times beset by Persons unknown, with an Intent, as it is apprehended, to take away his Life: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in so villanous an Attempt, is pleas'd to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices, so as he or they may be apprehend and convicted thereof.

And Beaupre Bell, Esq; has also offer'd a Reward of Fifty Pounds to any one of the Persons concerned in the Facts, or to any other Person or Persons, who shall make such Discovery as aforesaid; to be paid upon the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders.

Last Night the King, Queen, and Princesses, went to the Opera in the Haymarket.

And this Evening their Majesties will be at the Opera in Covent Garden.

Yesterday Morning died at his House at East Sheen in the County of Surry, John Dering, Esq; one of his Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County.

A few Days since died at the Bath John Wake, Esq; a young Gentleman lately arrived from Ireland.

in order to inherit a plentiful Estate in this Kingdom.

This Morning their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales will go to Kew, where they intend to reside till Sunday next, and then will return to St. James's.

Thomas Jackson, Esq; Town Clerk of this City, who has been dangerously ill for some time, is now in a fair way of Recovery.

Last Week the Rev. Dr. Cresset, Dean of Hereford, was married to Miss Pelham, Daughter of Thomas Pelham, Esq; Member of Parliament for Lewes in Sussex.

We hear that the Right Hon. the Earl of Berkeley will be promoted to a Company in the Second Regiment of Foot Guards, commanded by the late Earl of Balcarras, deceased.

Last Thursday the Rev. Mr. Clarke, M. A. was inducted into the Rectory of Sunning in the County of Berks, void by the Death of the last Incumbent.

Yesterday Morning died at his House at Chelsea, John Myers, Esq; a Gentleman possessed of an Estate of 900 l. per Annum in the County of Middlesex.

Yesterday the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor nominated Phillip Scarfe, Esq; to be one of the Sheriffs of this City for the Year ensuing.

The same Day 7 Persons were convicted before the Hon. Commissioners of Excise, in the Penalty of 100 l. each, for retailing Spirituous Liquors, contrary to the late Act.

On Monday last George Lane was committed to the New Gaol in Southwark, by Justice Floyd, for knocking down Mr. Raby, a Hop Merchant, in St. George's Fields, and robbing him of a Silver Watch, a Gold Ring, and some Money.

On Monday last Watkin Williams Wynn, Esq; Knight of the Shire for Denbigh, set out from his House in Downing street, Westminster, for West Chester, the Election of a Mayor for that City being to come on next Wednesday; when, we hear, he will be chosen Mayor for the said City for the Year ensuing, without Opposition.

Yesterday his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, was at the House of Peers, to hear the Debates.

The Bill for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, has gone thro' the House of Peers in a Committee, with some few Alterations.

The Subscriptions in the Lottery for Building a Bridge at Westminster, are almost compleat.

Yesterday Eleven Prisoners were removed from Tothill Fields Bridewell to Newgate, in Order to take their respective Trials at the ensuing Sessions at the Old Bailey, which begins To-morrow se'nnight.

Last Week Edward Thompson, Esq; Member of Parliament for the City of York, and one of the Commissioners of the Revenue in Ireland, was marry'd to Miss More, one of the Coheiresses of Thomas More, Esq; of Osselkirk, in the County of York, deceased.

Charles Monson, Esq; Member of Parliament for the City of Lincoln, and Brother to the Right Hon. the Lord Monson, is appointed Deputy Paymaster of the Forces, in the Room of Townshend Andrews, Esq; deceased.

Last Night the Coroner's Inquest finished their Inquiry, relating to the ill Usage of an Officer in the Army, on Adam Cluff, late a Corporal in the First Regiment of Foot Guards, deceased, and brought in their Verdict, Wilful Murder.

BANKRUPTS.

Thomas Little, of the Parish of Stroud, in the County of Gloucester, Baker.

John Duell, late of the Parish of St. Clement Danes, in the County of Middlesex, Chapman.

William Palmore, of Christian-Malford, in the County of Wilts, Horse-dealer and Chapman.

High Water this Day	Morning	Evening
at London Bridge.	2 0	2 10

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